

SHORE AND CHALMERS BATTLE BEFORE BIG CROWD IN BOSTON

Manager Carrigan Says His Team Will Make it Three in a Row, While Moran is Sure That Scores Will be Evened.

Another Huge Crowd Jams Braves' Field and All Boston Fans Are Sure of Victory—Shore and Chalmers to Pitch.

Braves' Field, Boston, Oct. 12.—The Philadelphia Nationals and the Boston Red Sox lined up today for the fourth game of the world's series with both sides confident of victory.

"We are going to even it up today," said Manager Pat Moran of the Phillies, "and go back home for the fifth game tomorrow with the count standing two and two. I am not sure at this hour who will be my pitching selection but you can say for me that whether it is Chalmers, Rixey or Mayer he will be out there to win and the Sox will find run-making a difficult pastime."

"We have the series clinched and will make it three to one in our favor today," said Manager Carrigan of the Boston Red Sox. "I have three good pitchers ready and anxious to take their turn in the box and it is hard to choose between them."

It was another perfect day with not a cloud fleck in the sky and a summer glow in the atmosphere. The thousands of Boston fans came out today to have a good time. There are all sorts of rooting organizations and they were all in evidence today. Most of them brought bands with them and there was a crash of music in the air all the time. Occasionally the crash became a clash but the fans did not mind the melodic interference and applauded all musical specialties with unstinted enthusiasm. A Scotch bagpipe band made a hit while a lone cornetist in the far right field stood offered periodic solos that were enthusiastically received. The fans knew they had a long time to wait for the real show and amused themselves accordingly.

"We should see another pitcher's battle today," said Jack Coombs, former pitcher. Coombs has been a keen student of pitching and came down from Maine to see the contest. "Shore and Leonard pitched one of the finest games I have ever seen, yesterday," he said.

Shore and Carrigan were announced as Boston's battery, while Chalmers and Burns were Manager Moran's selections.

Umpires, at the plate, Evans, American league; on bases, Rigler, National league; left field, O'Loughlin, American league; right field, Klem, National league.

THE GAME

FIRST INNING

First half—Stock singled past 3rd but was out, catching his hit, Lewis to Scott. Bancroft walked. Eassey stole second and would have been out had not Barry dropped the ball. Paskert fanned. Cravath struck out and Shore was given a loud cheer as he walked to the home bench. No runs, one hit, one error.

Second half—Hooper struck out. Scott also whiffed. Speaker walked. Speaker out trying to steal. Burns to Nischoff. It was a pitout and Speaker was easily nailed. No runs, no hits, no errors.

SECOND INNING

First half—Luderus shot a single to right. Whitted sacrificed. Hohlitzell to Barry. Luderus going to second. Nischoff fouled out to Cady. Burns walked. Chalmers was a victim on strikes. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Second half—Hohlitzell struck out. Lewis was given a big hand as he came to the plate. Chalmers threw out Lewis at first. Gardner out to Paskert. Chalmers kept the ball around the Boston batters' knees all through the half. He hit hard, fast and good command. No runs, no hits, no errors.

THIRD INNING

First half—Gardner threw out Stock. Bancroft walked for the second time. Paskert fanned. Cravath sent a long fly to Lewis. It would have been an easy home run on the Philadelphia home grounds. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second half—Barry walked. Cady got an infield hit. Chalmers slipping while attempting to field the ball. Barry went to 2nd. Shore up. Chalmers made a balk and Umpire Evans, after consulting Rigler reversed himself and sent Barry back to second and Cady to first. Shore sacrificed. Stock to Nischoff. Barry went to 3rd and Cady to 2nd. Barry scored on an infield hit by Hooper which Nischoff was only able to knock down. Cady went to 3rd. Scott fouled out to Whitted. Cady being held at 3rd and Hooper at first. Speaker out at first. Luderus unassisted. One run, two hits, no errors.

WAGON INJURED GIRL

Mary Mitchell, aged four, of 194 Church street, was playing in the rear of a wagon owned by Michael Checko of Botsford, this morning, when the horse backed up and one wheel ran over her legs. She was taken home suffering from bruises. Nischoff was arrested for failing to hitch his horse. He was later released on \$25 bonds.

FOSTER'S OPPORTUNE HITTING AND HIS MASTERLY TWIRLING WIN HIM ADMIRATION



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BEWARE OF THE REPORTERS, SAYS SUPT. SLAWSON

Head of Schools Warns Principals To Be Careful of Their Talk.

"Don't talk to reporters and be very careful about all information that you give to newspaper men," was the advice which the newly elected superintendent of schools, Samuel J. Slawson, gave to the members of the Principals' and Supervisors' association of the teaching corps of the public schools at their meeting in the common council chamber yesterday afternoon.

Superintendent Slawson said that he had been exceedingly annoyed by newspaper men who had asked him foolish questions about his plans for the conduct of the city schools and that there were many stories abroad which had no foundation in fact and which he had been obliged to deny. He said that he had recently been called twice to deny to a reporter from the same newspaper, a story that he was to ask the board of education to rescind the rule regarding star holidays in the public schools.

"Pay less attention to the reporters and keep to yourselves whatever goes on in the public schools and we will get along better together," Superintendent Slawson is reported to have said.

There was considerable discussion as to the system inaugurated by Superintendent Slawson for the marking of the work of pupils. Most of the principals approved of the system, which Superintendent Slawson proposed.

Several nominations were made for the office of secretary-treasurer of the association but those proposed declined as the choice was left to some future meeting. The officers chosen yesterday were: President, E. Everett Cortright, principal of Shelton school; vice president, Miss Mary Stapleton, principal of Longfellow school; executive committee, Robert L. Zink, principal of Lincoln school; Miss Fannie E. Hurley, supervisor of teachers, and Miss Euphrosyne L. Brown, principal of the Columbus school.

Will Ask For Bids on Garbage Contract

The board of health will hold a meeting tonight and it is expected bids will be asked on the garbage contract.

The contract, now held by John T. King, expires November 7. It was a ten year contract.

MOUNTED MAIL CARRIERS WILL BE NAMED HERE

Postmaster Greene Institutes Innovation For Local Office.

By an order of the post office department at Washington, three mounted mail carriers will be added to the force at the Bridgeport office.

Many other changes were ordered. The carrier force is decreased by four. Charles F. Noren, superintendent of money order department, will be made assistant cashier. The title of W. T. Meyer is changed from cashier to superintendent of finance. Thomas P. McDonald, foreman, is appointed assistant superintendent of mail. W. J. Kearns is promoted from a clerkship to the job of foreman. Carlos F. Heine, clerk of the sixth grade, is promoted to the office of bookkeeper and Philip Carroll, clerk of the sixth grade, to foreman.

Fourteen have been appointed to places as substitutes on the carrier force. They are: Max Haber, William E. Coe, Frank B. Frasca, Charles A. Sheridan, Earl R. Clark, Matthew J. McGee, Rudolph T. Meier, Edward J. Lovey, Samuel Sakowitz, Franklin L. Whitney, George H. Butler, Francis J. Smith, John H. Callahan.

TERRYVILLE SHOP WORKERS, 1,100 IN ALL, CALL STRIKE

Terryville, Conn., Oct. 12.—Approximately 1,100 employees of the Eagle Lock company are on strike here today. It was estimated, leaving about 100 in the shops. A mass meeting was held by the strikers during the morning for the purpose of effecting an organization of the various departments, it was said. The strikers, it is understood, will ask for a 10 per cent. increase in pay and a working schedule of 50 hours a week instead of the 60 now in force.

The trouble started last Friday when between 50 and a hundred girls went out for an increase in wages which would give them \$1.50 a day. Yesterday other departments began to go in sympathy and this continued today until about 1,100 had gone out.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, moderate south winds.

DEMOCRATIC CITY CONVENTION WILL BE HELD THURSDAY

Town Chairman Hires Eagles' Hall So Public will Have Chance to Attend.

Following the Democratic primary meetings last evening Town Chairman Hugh J. Lavery today announced the call for the Democratic town and city convention for Thursday night this week, at 8 o'clock, in Eagles' hall. The selection of this large building means that all who desire to attend as spectators may do so and that the naming of the candidates will progress under the eyes of those Democrats who attended primary meetings last night.

The convention will name candidates for mayor, city clerk, tax collector, city treasurer, town clerk, three selectmen, three city sheriffs and two members of the board of education.

Once Bridgeporter Takes Own Life in Milford Residence

(Special to The Farmer)
Milford, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Edward Moore, aged 37, of North street, formerly of Bridgeport, was found dead in bed here today. A gas tube was in her mouth.

A note left for her husband said, "I am sorry for the trouble I made you." Moore had left home yesterday and didn't return.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore moved here from Bridgeport four years ago. Moore lived at 657 Laurel avenue, Bridgeport, at the home of Charles W. Schrader. Both were linemen in the employ of the Southern New England Telephone Co., but lately Moore has been in the garden truck business.

Moore bought a farm in Milford when he moved from Bridgeport. He placed the title of it in his wife's name. Recently, it is said, he arranged to dispose of the farm and a disagreement is said to have arisen over that plan.

The husband left the house on North street yesterday and had not returned late last night. Mrs. Moore was found dead when persons in the same house were attracted by the smell of illuminating gas. Mr. and Mrs. Moore had no children.

ARRESTED FOR FAILURE TO SUPPORT WIFE

Detective Peter Hall arrested this afternoon Joseph Mirziewski of 14 Lewis street this afternoon on the charge of non-support. Mirziewski had been working in a rubber shop at Naugatuck.

ASK COURT TO VOID CLAIM ON GREEN'S NOTES

New Milford Hat Company's Late Treasurer's Finances Discussed.

FACTORY REPUDIATES OFFICIAL'S PAPER

Bridgeport Bank is Among Claimants in Bankruptcy Proceedings.

New Milford, Conn., Oct. 12.—That the New Milford Hat company will be solvent if it is absolved from liability for notes aggregating \$132,000 issued by the late S. S. Green, secretary and treasurer of the company, was the representation upon which counsel laid particular stress at the continued hearing of the tangled affairs of the company before Referee in Bankruptcy Carlton E. Hoadley here today. Among the claimants against the company is the First-Bridgeport National bank.

In its bankruptcy petition the company stated that its liabilities were \$184,142.37 and its assets \$99,846.98. The petitioner alleged that the \$132,000 in notes had been issued for the purposes of private financial operations and that it had received no benefit from them. Referee Hoadley, however, admitted all the claims as valid. These claims were in the shape of notes ranging from \$5,000 to \$15,000 held by banks in Albany, N. Y., Boston, Bridgeport, New Haven and other places.

Attempt by a Wallingford bank to collect one of these notes about two weeks before the death of S. S. Green, is said to have revealed the precarious condition of the hat company and to have brought into the affair the name of the First National Bank of New Milford, of which S. S. Green was president.

At that hearing it was also testified that neither W. G. Green nor S. S. Green, has individual accounts at the First National bank, but used hat company checks in their transactions, including the purchase of certain pieces of real estate.

In response to a plea by counsel representing the banks, concerned, Referee Hoadley last week issued a restraining order enjoining the First National bank of New Milford from selling or disposing of pledges or other securities given to the institution by the late Seymour S. Green, or his brother, W. G. Green, it having been brought out at the September hearing that securities to the amount of about \$83,000 had been turned over to the bank by the Green brothers to secure loans aggregating about \$44,000.

Referee Hoadley, at the previous hearing, stated that five or six thousand dollars had passed through the hat shop treasury and he was anxious to know where it came from and where it had gone. He also notified the counsel for the First National Bank, of New Milford, that nothing must be done to prevent a thorough examination of all of the hat company's transactions.

PROTECTION OF U.S. CITIZENS ON SEAS IS SOUGHT

Washington, Oct. 12.—The United States, in a note dispatched to Germany today to be presented by Ambassador Gerard on the case of the American ship William P. Frye, asks that if it is found necessary to destroy American ships carrying absolute contraband passengers and crew be removed to a safer place than small boats.

The American government accepts the German suggestion in reply to the American proposals concerning a commission to fix damages for the Frye, agreeing to dispense with the umpire and leave the case to the two experts, one from each country. In agreeing to submit to arbitration, the interpretation of the treaty of 1828, to determine whether it gives Germany the right to destroy American ships in order to stop contraband traffic, the American government holds that not only must warning be given and passengers and crew saved; but that small boats are not considered a "place of safety" within the meaning of international law.

WORLD'S SERIES TEAMS TO TOUR PACIFIC COAST

Boston, Oct. 12.—The Boston Americans and the Philadelphia Nationals, now battling for the world's championship, will go intact to the Pacific coast for a series of games beginning in San Francisco, Oct. 23, according to arrangements made today by the National Commission, the presidents of the two clubs and a representative of the Pan-Pacific Exposition.

The teams will play in Chicago, Omaha, Denver and Salt Lake City on the way to the coast, and also in Los Angeles and San Diego.

BROWN MUST PAY WIFE \$5 A WEEK

In city court today Judge Wilder ordered James Brown of 2180 Fairfield avenue to pay his wife, Mary, \$5 per week or spend three months in the county jail for non-support.

BULGARS INVADE SERBIA; GERMANS TAKE NEW FORTS

Severe Fighting Occurs Along Borders As Bulgarian Army Makes Long-Threatened Thrust at Serbia—Town and Forts of Semendria Fall Into German Hands—Italians Menace Austrian City.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Bulgarian troops invaded Serbia last night. A despatch received today by the Havas News Agency from Serbia says: "Bulgarians are attacking the Serbian front at Knishavatz."

The opening of hostilities against Serbia by Bulgaria has been a foregone conclusion since the rupture between Bulgaria and the Allies. In fact, the Bulgarian government issued a manifesto to the nation last week proclaiming its decision to espouse the cause of Germany, Austria and Turkey.

Serbs Report Invaders Repulsed
London, Oct. 12.—The Serbian legation today received this telegram from Nish:

"Last night Belgians began an attack in the direction of Vlasina. All attacks up to the present have been repulsed decisively."

A despatch to the Times from Athens says that the Bulgarians began an attack on Serbia at Gtriboghaz, near Knias Hvat at mid-day on Monday.

Germans Capture Serb Forts
Berlin, Oct. 12.—The Serbian city of Semendria, on the Danube, east of Belgrade, has been captured by the Germans.

The war office announced today that both the town and the fortress of Semendria were captured. The Austro-German forward movement over the whole Serbian front is making good progress.

AUSTRIAN TOWN TO FALL BEFORE ITALIAN ATTACK

Vienna, Oct. 12.—The Austrian city of Gorizia, 22 miles northwest of Trieste, is about to fall, according to a telegram received here today from Brescia. The Italians, the despatch says, have brought up a large number of heavy guns and are bombarding the town from five different points. At the same time, the Italians are attacking the inner defenses of Tolmino, while on the Carso the Austrians are said to have been forced to abandon several miles of trenches.

Heavy snows in the Carinthian Alps are reported to have buried the Austrian gun positions in deep drifts.

"Armed Neutrality" Will Be Policy of New Greek Cabinet

London, Oct. 12.—The Greek chamber was informed by Premier Zaimis at a meeting yesterday that the better to assure the vital interests of Greece, her neutrality "will for the present be armed," says a Reuter despatch from Athens.

The premier added that the future course of the ministry will be adapted to meet events as they occur and expressed the belief that the government's course has the support of the people. In reply former Premier Venizelos said:

"No one could wish to create internal difficulties in the country in view of the present extremely critical situation. The chamber will give its support to the government as long as the policy does not alter the principles of my policy upon which the chamber already has given its vote. Even if there existed no treaty with Serbia, our interest would oblige us to depart from neutrality, an another state wishes to aggrandize itself."

"The question is not whether we ought to make war or not but when we ought to enter the war. In any case we ought not to allow Bulgaria to march on the Balkans and then we may attack us with all her forces. The national soul says it is to the interest of Greece that Bulgaria should be crushed. If Bulgaria should triumph, Hellenism would be completely vanquished."

The sitting of the chamber then was adjourned until next Monday.

Allied Airmen Raze Many German Hangars

Austerdam, Oct. 12.—Press despatches state that a recent raid of allied aviators on Ghent and the neighboring towns of Gontrode was so successful that not a single hangar on the German aviation grounds was left standing. All of them, with their contents, were burned by incendiary bombs. Ten houses are also reported to have been destroyed.

The latest reported airship raid on Ghent occurred August 21, when it was said the aviators destroyed a large building at Ghent which was used by the Germans for housing aircraft.

BULGARIAN INVASION CONFIRMED IN LONDON

London, Oct. 12.—The Balkan campaign came to the fore still more prominently today with the announcement that Bulgarian troops had invaded Serbia. Thus far few details have been received of this movement, which has generally been accepted.

The speech of former Premier Venizelos in the Greek chamber of deputies is regarded in England as favorable to the cause of the entente allies. The declaration of the former premier that it was no longer a question whether Greece ought to make war but merely she should do so, was made with the approval of a majority of the chamber. The former premier told the government plainly that only as long as his policy was followed it would receive his support.

Unofficial despatches from Nish state the Serbians have checked the German advance at several points on the Danube in some cases throwing back the invaders across the river. In other directions they are said to have driven the invaders out of Serbian villages taken in the first assaults.

On the eastern front the Germans are still hammering at the positions before Divlik, their latest effort being to force the Drina river ten miles above the city. Elsewhere, Russian forces are attacking fiercely, particularly in eastern Galicia. Here they are reported to have won a considerable victory.

All accounts of military observers testify to the accuracy and efficiency of the Russian artillery which is now demonstrated beyond a doubt to have recovered from the handicap caused by shortage of ammunition. The failure of the Germans to capture Divlik after a month's fighting is characterized in England as evidence of remarkable recuperation of the Russian forces. General Ivanoff has regained more than half of the ground evacuated.

The presence on the Caucasian front of Grand Duke Nicholas is expected to revivify operations there which have been inactive pending the change of command.

Activity of British submarines in the Baltic is extending and it is the hope of the British to put an end to the passage of supplies to Germany from Scandinavian countries.

Recent events on both the eastern and western fronts have brought another wave of optimism in England, similar to that occasioned two weeks ago by the British and French victories on the western battle fields. In view of the costly failure of the German attacks against Loos the passing of French troops south of Soissons and the gradual extension of their gains near Thure, the outlook on the Franco-Balkan front is now regarded as more favorable to the entente allies.

RUSSIANS TAKE 2,000 GERMANS AS PRISONERS.

Petrograd, Oct. 12.—Russian forces have pierced the Austro-German lines on the Strpa river. They have already taken prisoner more than 2,000 men and 60 officers and have captured four guns and 10 rapid-firers. The Russian advance is being pushed vigorously. The victory for the Russians reported by Petrograd was won in eastern Galicia, where the troops of Emperor Nicholas started a formidable offensive coincident with the opening of the Teutonic campaign against Serbia. The attack is made north of the Rumanian border and may have been undertaken with a view to the political effect on the Balkan situation.

FIGHTING NEAR BELGRADE

Paris, Oct. 12.—Although Belgrade has been evacuated, the Matin's correspondent at Nish, in a despatch filed Sunday, said the fighting continued stubbornly on the hills surrounding the city, some of which had been taken and retaken several times.

CHANGE MEETING HALL

Owing to a change of hall, the Corset Workers' Union, 133, who were to meet tonight have postponed the election of officers until Friday night. Beginning this week the corset workers will meet at Odd Fellows' hall, Cannon street, every Friday.